

You are going to use the Internet to research the causes and possible solutions of some modern-day epidemics and then produce a poster based on your findings.

- 1** First of all decide which disease you wish to research.
Some examples include:
AIDS
flu (influenza)
cholera
mumps
measles.
- 2** Decide on which Internet search engine you wish to use.
Some good ones include:
[Ask Jeeves](#)
[Yahoo!](#)
[Google](#)
- 3** Decide on which key words you are going to use in your search.
For example, you might use:
epidemic
AIDS (or other named disease)
pandemic
disease
infectious.
- 4** Start your search, but be selective. Remember you are trying to find out about the causes and solutions.
- 5** Produce a poster, based on your findings, on a sheet of A3 size paper. Your poster should attempt to explain your findings in a user-friendly way to someone who knew nothing about the disease you have been researching.

Tips on producing a good poster

- Use colour - it makes it more eye-catching.
- Keep it simple - too much detail makes it look untidy and cluttered.
- Stick to a simple message that you want to get across.
- Use large diagrams and drawings so that they can be seen from a distance.